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25X1A 1. As of [REDACTED] Communist General LIN Piao had ceased his attempts to envelope Nationalist General PAI Chung-hsi's right flank along the Kweichow border and had moved the bulk of his troops formerly in that area to the railway south of Hengyang.

2. PAI still has the greater part of his armies disposed along the Huangsha River line*. He is not concerned about his west flank or his center, which is in defensible terrain. PAI holds Muchou (111-19, 23-38) with two armies, and is considering an offensive against Communist General CHEN Keng in that area.

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[REDACTED] which stated that
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